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**NOTIFICATION OF ABANDONMENT**

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a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494),  an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495), has made the following determination:

1.  Applicant's letter of express abandonment received \_\_\_\_\_ is in compliance with CFR 1.138 and is hereby acknowledged.
2.  Applicant has failed to provide the full U.S. Basic National Fee by  20 months (37 CFR 1.494(b)(2)),  
 30 months (37 CFR 1.495(b)(2)).
3.  Applicant has failed to respond to the notification of MISSING REQUIREMENTS (Form PCT/DO/EO/905), mailed 14 June 1999, within the time period set therein.
4.  Applicant has failed to properly respond to the notification of MISSING REQUIREMENTS (Form PCT/DO/EO/905), mailed \_\_\_\_\_ within the time period set therein. See the attached NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE (Form PCT/DO/EO/916).
5.  Other.

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Therefore, the above identified application failed to meet the requirements of 35 U.S.C 371 and 37 CFR  1.494,  1.495 and is ABANDONED AS TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

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